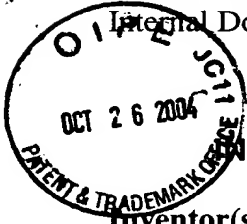


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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

**Sir:**

In response to the Office Action dated August 13, 2004, having a shortened period for response set to expire on November 13, 2004, please amend the above-identified application and enter remarks as follows. No fee is believed due in this case but if it is determined that a fee is due, then please charge Deposit Account 07-0832.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

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